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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Sebastien KERDILES et al.

Confirmation No. 8821

Application No.: 10/733,470

Group Art Unit: 2829

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Examiner: J. Nguyen

For: TOOLS AND METHODS FOR
DISUNITING SEMICONDUCTOR
WAFERS

Atty. Docket No.: 4717-9100

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are submitted for entry and consideration during prosecution of the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

A **Petition for an Extension of Time** is enclosed. No other fees are believed to be due for the filing of this amendment. Should any other fees be required, please charge such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP deposit account 50-1814.